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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of: Taylor *et al.*

Confirmation No.: 4486

Application No.: 10/016,763

Group Art Unit: 1644

Filed: October 26, 2001

Examiner: Vandervegt, Francois P

For: ANTIGEN-BASED HETEROPOLYMERS AND
METHOD FOR TREATING AUTOIMMUNE DISEASES
USING THE SAME

Attorney Docket No.: 9426-059

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR § 1.136(a)

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action dated June 14, 2006 be extended for a period of three months from September 14, 2006 up to and including December 14, 2006.

The fee for this extension is estimated to be \$ 510.00 (small entity). Please charge the required fee to Jones Day Deposit Account No. 50-3013. A copy of this sheet is enclosed for accounting purposes.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: December 14, 2006

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